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Dear Mr. Brown:

I am indebted to you for an excellent case study in what happens when an American citizen wants basic information about how his President was murdered and how that murder was investigated by the government that came into power only by virtue of that murder.

I would suggest that you write the Archives again, asking them for all data they have on all arrests made in connection with or at the time of the assassination. If you get no information, you will at least have established that the Commission investigated so thoroughly it had no such file.

I would then appreciate copies of this exchange, with your permission to use them from time to time in my public appearances.

If you sent me a copy of your letter of August 28 to J. Edgar Hoover, I cannot now find it. Particularly because he replied "the FBI laboratory maintains its own supply of various types of ammunition for testing purposes", the exact language of your letter to him could be very interesting to me.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg